

METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MODELING AND ADVERTISING  
ASYMMETRIC TOPOLOGY OF A NODE IN A TRANSPORT NETWORK

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5 A method and system for providing an internal  
topology of a node within a network includes determining  
asymmetric connections between traffic bearing components  
in a network node. An intranode connectivity is  
determined between the traffic bearing components based  
on the asymmetric connections. A model of the node  
indicative of the intranode connectivity is distributed  
10 to a disparate node in a network with a node. The model  
is used at a disparate node in determining a routing path  
through the network.